HONGKONG, MONDAY, AUGUST 1, 1881.

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Notices of Firms.

DENTAL NOTICE.

TROM August 1st, 1881, Dr. H. YARD-LEY EASTLAKE, M.A.D.D.S., will take Charge of the DENTAL PRACTICE of Dr. WM. C. EASTLACKE, in Hongkong; and will Open his New DENTAL ROOMS, Lower Floor of the HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS, Wyndham Street. Latest Scientific Appliances and Improvements in Dentistry. Office Hours from 9 A.M. to 5 P.M.

Hongkong, July 12, 1881. NOTICE. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports AR. S. J. CRUTCH is authorized IVI Sign our Firm per Procuration.

> Hongkong, 11th July, 1881. Shanghai,

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

By Order of the Board, D. GILLIES.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION. (Incorporated by Royal Charter.) PAID-UF CAPITAL£1,500,000.

Banks.

DATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DE-At 3 months' notice 3% per Annum.

Current Accounts kepts on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT,

Acting Manager. Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKIN CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, 5,000,000 Dollars. RESERVE FUND,1,800,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-A. Molver, Esq. Deputy Chairman H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq. E. R. BELLIOS, Esq. | Hon. F. B. Johnson. H. DE C. FORBES, WM. REINERS, Esq. Esq. F. D. Sassoon, Esq. W. S. Young, Esq.

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HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED.

N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily For Fixed Deposits :-

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum. ,, 4 per cent. ,, ,, ,, 5 per cent. ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities. and every description of Banking an Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the

chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON. Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, June 14, 1881.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS. (Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.) DECOGNISED by the International CONVENTION OF 30TH APRIL, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP.....£3,200,000. RESERVE FUND£800,000. HEAD OFFICE-14, RUE BERGERE,

AGENCIES and BRANCHES at: SAN FRANCISCO, BOURBON. LONDON. MARSEILLES, BOMBAY, Hongkong, HANKOW, CALCUTTA, LYONS SHANGRAI, FOOCHOW, MELBOURNE, and SYDNEY.

LONDON BANKERS: THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THE UNION BANK OF LONDON. MESSRS C. J. HAMBRO & SON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on TODOWNS-TO BE LET. application, grants Drafts and Credits on J Apply to all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business. E. SCHWEBLIN, Agent, Hongkong.

Hongkong, April 12, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE CHINA TIRE INSURANCE (T COMPANY, LIMITED, s prepared to ACCEPT FIRST-CLASS RISKS at nett per Amnum, and other insurances of Proportionate Raise.

Shareholders are reminded that the Directors have the power of distributing a certain proportion of the accertained profits annually smong such Shareholders as have contributed business to the Company. AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of

Chips and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon, Penang, and Manila. A. G. STOKES, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, May 19, 1881

Also, No. 9, SHYMOUR TERRACE, Apply to Hongkong, July 18, 1881.

Auctions.

TUESDAY,

REISS & Co.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

DURING my Absence from Hongkong, Mr. ROBERT COOKE will act as

Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

For Sale.

FOR SALE. Collection of ENGRAVINGS from A PICTURES by LANDSBER, MILLAIS, BRITON RIVIERE, HOLMAN HUNT, G. A. STOREY, and Others.

An Inspection is invited. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, July 29, 1881.

FOR SALE. VALVOLINE CYLINDER OIL.

THIS Oil is a lubricant for the Valves and Cylinders of Steam Engines, and is free from the objections which exist against the use of tallow or vegetable oils. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Hongkong, June 27, 1881.

FOR SALE. A BOUT 2,000 fts. MILLER & RICHARD'S A Extra-hard Metal BOURGEOIS TYPE, No. 10, (somewhat worn but in fairly good condition).

OFFICE OF THIS PAPER. Hongkong, July 22, 1881.

FOR SALE.

Valuable LEASEHOLD PROPERTY situated in the QUEEN'S ROAD CEN-TRAL, consisting of FOUR ROOMS suitable for Dwelling, and THREE ROOMS suitable for OFFICES. Also GODOWN capable of holding about 600 Tons.

The GROUND FLOOR its at present : the occupation of Messrs Kelly & Walsh. For further Particulars, apply to J. Y. V. VERNON;

or, BRERETON & WOTTON. Hongkong, July 25, 1881.

FOR SALE.

DWELLING HOUSES, in WYNDHAM STREET, Nos. 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 45 & 47, on Sections B & C of INLAND LOT No. 51, belonging to the Portuguese Mission in

For Particulars, apply to J. J. DOS REMEDIOS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, June 2, 1881.

TOHN BAZLEY WHITE-BROTHERS PORTLAND CEMENT. Sole Agents for China, HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

FOR SALE.

ULES MUMM CHAMPAGNE, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

To Let.

TO LET.

NO. 4, MORRISON HILL Apply to T. G. GLOVER, No. 7, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, July 26, 1881.

SHARP & Co.,. Land and Estate Agents,

13, Queen's Road Central, opposite the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China Hongkong, July 20, 1881.

ODOWNS-TO LET. PRAYA HAST AND WANCHAL ROAD. For Particulars, apply to STEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, January 21, 1881.

TO LET. ATO. 2, Old BAILBY STERES And, No. 6, PRODAR'S HELL

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

8 % SILVER LOAN, 1881. THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

the 2nd August, 1881, at 2 p.m., at Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,-A COLLECTION OF OLD JAPANESE BRONZES; LACQUERED WARE & IVORY EAR-RINGS,-

GOLD and SILVER INLAID BRONZE VAKES. KANGA WARE, FOLDING SCREENS. TERMS OF SALE. - As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioncer. '

Hongkong, July 29, 1881.

Intimations. CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-

PANY, LIMITED. THE General Agents, with the Approva of the Consulting Committee, beg intimate that an INTERIM DIVIDEND, of FIVE PER CENT. upon the Paid-up Capital of

the Company, will be Payable on the 15TH August Next, to all Shareholders on the Register at that date. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st to 15th Proximo, inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, July 20, 1881.

In the Matter of the Estate of RAPHAEL ARCANJO DO ROZARIO, late o Hongkang, Deceased.

NTOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and other Persons having any CLAIMS or DEMANDS upon or against the Estate of RAPHAEL ARCANJO DO ROZARIO, who died at Victoria, in the Island of Hongkong, on the 26th day of March, 1881, and whose Will and Codicil were duly proved in the Supreme Court of Hongkong on the 9th day of June, 1881, by VALENTINE ANTONIO DO ROZARIO ANTONIO BAPTISTA, Executors named in the said Will, both of Victoria, aforesaid, are hereby required to send in writing the Particulars of their CLAIMS or DEMANDS to the said VALENTINE ANTONIO DO ROZARIO and MAR-CLANO ANTONIO BAPTISTA, at the address aforesaid, or to Messrs Brereton and Worrow, at their Office, 29, Queen's Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on or before the 13th day of August, 1881. And Notice is hereby also given that, at the expiration of the last mentioned day, the said VALENTINE AN-TONIO DO ROZARIO and MARGIANO ANTONIO BAPTISTA will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said RAPHAEL ARCANJO DO RO-ZARIO amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the Claims of which the said VALENTINE ANTONIO DO ROZARIO and MARCIANO ANTONIO BAPTISTA, or the said Messrs Brereton and Worron, shall then have had notice; and that the said VALEN-TINE ANTONIO DO ROZARIO and MARCIANO ANTONIO BAPTISTA will not be liable for the Assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any Person of whose Claim the said VALENTINE ANTONIO DO HOZARIO and MAR-CIANO ANTONIO BAPTISTA had not had notice

at the time of the distribution. Dated this 13th day of June, 1881. BRERETON & WOTTON, Solicitors, do.,

29, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

DENTAL NOTICE.

ROGERS has returned to Hong. L Kong, and he will now remain here Hongkong, July 21, 1881.

THE SAFEST AND ONLY RELIABLE PREPARATION OF PHOSPHORUS. R. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE.-Best known remedy for Nervousness; Indigestion, Liver Complaints, and all Functional Derangements; extensively used in the Army and Navy, and highly recommended by the Medical Faculty.

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ly re-establishes general bodily health. T.R. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE.-Prepared on a new principle whereby all possible risk is entirely prevented. Avoid Phosphorus Pills, Lozenges etc., as they frequently contain Solid Particles of Phosphorus, which accumulate in the system, producing Necrosis and other serious evils. PR. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE.—
Beware of worthless Imitations. Being prepared from Obsolete Formulas they are absolutely unreliable and in some cases

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ENTERICON gives Immediate Relief to Indigestion, Lowness of Spirits, Wind in the Stomsch, Giddinsss, Palpitation of the ENTERICON gives Speedy Relief and a Permanent Ours in Nervous Debility, Spermatorrhos, Westing Dreams.

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Drug whatever. Sold by all Wholesale and Retail Druggists throughout the Civilized World.

Sold in China by :--Warson & Co., Hongkong Dispensary. Warson, Cleave & Co., Shanghai.

Intimations.

CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT

THE Final PAYMENT on the Allotments in the above LOAN will be Payable on TUESDAY, the 2nd August, 1881, Monday, the 1st August, being a Bank Holiday.

> HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, Agents Issuing the Loan, THOMAS JACKSON Chief Manager.

For the

signess, before 5 p.m. To-DAY, the 28th Hongkong, July 28, 1881. HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO the Undersigned. STEAMBOAT COMPANY, - LIMITED. subject to rent and landing charges.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND at the Rate of 6 % or \$4.50 per SHARE, declared at the Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting of Shareholders held This Day, will be Payable at the Hongkong & Shanghai Bank on and after SATURDAY NEXT, the 30th Inst. SHAREHOLDERS are requested to apply at the Orrice of the Company for Warrants. By Order of the Board of Directors.

- P. A. DA COSTA, Secretary. Hongkong, July 28, 1881.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY,

LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND, at the Rate of Two DOLLARS and FIFTY CENTS PER SHARE, declared at the Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting of Shareholders held This Afternoon, will be Payable at the Hongkong & Shang-HAI BANKING CORPORATION from TO-MOR-ROW, the 30th Instant.

SHAREHOLDERS are requested to apply at the Office of the Company for Warrants. By Order of the Directors, LOUIS HAUSCHILD,

Secretary.

Hongkong, July 29, 1881. THE "FAR EAST. THE ISSUES OF 1878 WANTED. Apply at this Office.

Hongkong, October 4, 1880. AH-YON & Co., CHIP'S COMPRADORE STEVEDORE, BALLASTER AND WATER SUPPLIER, Hongkong and Whampoa, of the same

Proprietora Keep on hand and for Sale, well assorted Oilman's Stores and Coal of all kinds. Thipping supplied at the shortest notice with all kinds of Ballast and fresh Provisions at moderate charges.

Notices to Consignees.

F 59, WING HING STREET.

Hongkong, June 15, 1881.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Electra, Captain Bohme, I "having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be ob-

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 9 a.m. To-Morrow, the 31st Instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 5th August will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, July 30, 1881. NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

FROM BATAVIA, SAMARANG, SOU RABAYA, MACASSAR, AND MANILA.

THE Steamship Atjeh having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, July 26, 1881. BRITISH BARK "JOHN C. MUNRO,

FROM LONDON. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-WATSON, CLEAVE & Co., Shang- named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned 21no81 for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Con-

signees' risk and expense. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agentr Hongkong, July 28, 1881.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. BRITISH SHIP "CLARA," FROM LONDON.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovetamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vetsel will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense. VOCKL & Co.,

Hongkong, July 20, 1881.

«No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ex Saghalien. No Mark, Nos. 91/120=30 drums White Lead, Order, from London. Ex Anadyr. M No. T=1 case Merchandize, Mr Marty,

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, July 25, 1881.

from Paris.

Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP "AMAZONE."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

informed that their Goods are being landed

and stored at their risk at the Company's

Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on,

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS-

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo

are requested to send in their Bills of

Lading to the Undersigned for counter-

signature, and take immediate delivery.

This Cargo has been landed and stored at

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

DAY, the 4th August, at Noon, will be

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Hongkong, July 28, 1881.

their risk and expense.

unless intimation is received from the Con-

Inst., requesting it to be landed nerv.

immediately after landing.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. The Spanish Steamer Captain Blanco, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY Next, the 2nd August, at

o'Clock p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, July 29, 1881.

UNION LINE. FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship " Antonio.

Capt. SEABORNE, shortly due, will have immediate despatch for the above Port. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1881.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co,'s Steamship Captain J. Rea, will be despatched on or about

the 2nd August. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, July 25, 1881.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. Taking Cargo at through rates for NEW YORK, HAMBURG and BREMEN.) The Steamship Capt. J. WALLACE, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 4th August.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, July 18, 1881. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, AND TRIESTE.

Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL CUTTA, JEDDAH, ODESSA, and the MEDITERRANEAN PORTS.) The Co.'s Steamship Capt. GIOVANNI STURLI, will be despatched as

above on FRIDAY, the 5th Proximo, at 4

For Freight or Passage, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, July 30, 1881.

STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS. The P. & Q. S. N. Co.'s Steamship will leave for the above place on or about the 8th August A. MoIVER, Superintendent,

Hongkong, July 27, 1881. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Captain Scale, will be despatched on or about the 10th August For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, July 30, 1881.

Shipping.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR PORTLAND (OREGON.) The British Bark " John C. Munro, SUMMERS, Master, will Cargo and Passengers for the CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship above Port and have quick despatch. U Indus, from London, in connec-tion with the above Steamer, are hereby

For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 30, 1881. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship.

STOVER, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, July 29, 1881.

" Daniel Barnes,

FOR VALPARAISO (DIRECT.) And with transhipment to other Ports of SOUTH AMERICA. The A 1 American Bark " Abbie Carver," CARVER, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

For Freight, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, July 28, 1881.

have quick despatch.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship " Mary L. Stone, FIELD, Master, will load hero for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, July 28, 1881. FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 American Ship ANDERSON, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch: For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, July 28, 1881.

FOR NEW YORK. The L.1.1. American Bark

"Signal,"
WHITNEY, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 22, 1881.

FOR LONDON. The 100 A 1 British Ship PREHN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

Hongkong, July 18, 1881. FOR LONDON. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Bark RENNIE, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

For Freight, apply to

have quick despatch.

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Hongkong, July 14, 1881. FOR NEW YORK. The American Bark Snow, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 8, 1881; FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The British Barque "Java Packet." HANSEN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

HING KEE & Co. Hongkong, June 27, 1881. FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG. The 3/3 L.1.1. German Barque J. T. WERENBERG, Master, will load here for the above Ports,

and will have quick despatch; For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, June 18, 1881. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship

" C. F. Bargent,"

ATHERTON, Master, will load here for the above Port, and aub will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

> FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Ship "P. G. Carolli," McFre, Mester, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

Hongkong, June 15, 1881.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 18, 1881. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

Hongkong, June 14, 1881.

The American Ship Highlander,"

B. CLOUGH, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to WOGEL & Co.

Shipping.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR LONDON: The 3/3 L.1.1. Danish Bark HARTMANN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and

will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, June 13, 1881. FOR LONDON. The 3/3 L.1.1. German Bark JEPSEN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will " Hermann.

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, June 13, 1881. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Bark "Jonathan Chase,"

Castigan, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, April 19, 1881;

Insurances. NOTICE. QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-

For Freight, apply to

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Risks on First Class Godowns at per cent. nott premium per annum. NORTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, May 19, 1881.

PANY.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG.

CAPITAL, FULLY SUBSCRIBED,....\$1,000,000. Board of Directors. KOH MOON WAH, Esq., Chairman. LEONG ON, Esq. BAN HUP, Esq. K. YIN KAI, Esq. CHONG PENG, Esq.

QUAN HOI CHUNE, Esq. KWOK YIN KAI, Esq., Manager. Woo Lin Yuen, Esq., Assist. & Secretary. THE Company grants Policies on MARINE RISK to all parts of the World, payable at any of its Agencies.

Contributory Dividends are payable to

all Contributors of Business, whether they

are Shareholders or not.

WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary. HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, Queen's Road West, Hongkong, March 14, 1881. LE CERCLE-TRANSPORTS.

SOCIETÉ ANONYME D'ASSURANCES MARITIMES, MARSEILLE, CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED, ... 15,000,000 Francs. CAPITAL PAID-UP, 3,750,000

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS of the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies on MARINE RISKS to all ports of the World. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, Sept. 25, 1880. MANOHESTER FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF MANOHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling of which is paid up £ 100,000 Reserve Fund upwards of £ 120,000 £ 250,000 Annual Income THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at

Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai,

and Hankow, and are prepared to grant

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Insurances at current rates.

at Current Rates.

Hongkong, October 15, 1868. PRUSSIAN NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY, OF STETTIN. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are

prepared to Grant Insurances against FIRE

MEYER & Co., Hongkong, May 10, 1881. THE SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY

OF NEW ZEALAND. CAPITAL £1,000,000 (One Million Sterling). Unlimited Liability of Shoreholders.

THE Undersigned having been appointed
AGENTS for the above Company are prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE RISKS at Current Rates, allowing usual Discounts.

Hongkong, July 1, 1881. CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED)

NOTICE.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

TIOLICIES GRANTED at current rates on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World. In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two-thirds of the Profits are distributed annually to Contributors, whether Shareholders or not, in proportion to the net amount of Pramis contributed by each, the remaining third heing carried to Reserve Fund. J. BRADLEE SMITH,

Hongkong, April 6, 1881.

Secretary.

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Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 10 a.m. on the day of departure. For further Particulars, regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY's Office, Hongkong. The Undents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to

pany's Black Bills of Lading. A. McIVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, July 23, 1881.

note the terms and conditions of the Com-



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the Office up to 6 p.m. of 5th August. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 All Claims must be settled on board

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H. J. H. TRIPP. Hongkong, July 26, 1881.

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ON THURSDAY, the 11th of August 1881, at Noon, the Company's S. S. DJEMNAH, Commandant DE Boisseuil with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this

Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Noon of 10th August. Cargo will be received on board until p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 10th August, 1881. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office. Contents and value of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, July 29, 1881.

Insurances.

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Hongkong, July 25, 1872. Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-ANNA, German barque, Captain J. B.

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To-day's Advertisements. FOR MANILA.

The Steamship " Esmeralda," Captain Talbor, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 5th Inst., at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, August 1, 1881. NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR MANILA, MACASSAR, SOURABAYA, SAMARANG AND BATAVIA.

The Co.'s Steamship Capt. M. DE NEEF, will be despatched for the above Ports, via MACAO, on MONDAY, the 8th instant, at Noon. tion for First-class Passengers.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, August 1, 1881.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship "Chinkiang,"
Captain One, will be despatched for the above " Chinkiang." Port TO-MORROW, the 2nd Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, August 1, 1881. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW

The Steamship Capt. WESTORY, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 5th Inst., at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.º

Hongkong, August 1, 1881. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAL

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, NEWCHWANG, TIEN-TSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Kidd, will be despatched on or about the 8th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, August 1, 1881.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S. S. "TAKASAGO MARU," FROM KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

CIONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. -Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after TUESDAY, the 2nd

Instant, will be landed and stored at Consignees' expense and risk. No Fire Insurance will be effected. H. J. H. TRIPP,

Mitsu Bishi Mail S. S. Co. Hongkong, August 1, 1881.

UNION LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LONDON, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. THE Steamship Antonio, Captain SEA-BORNE, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to SHANGHAL, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-Morrow, the 2nd

presented to the Undersigned on or before | winds and fine weather; Heihow to Hongthe 10th Instant, or they will not be recognized. RUSSELL & Co.:

Hongkong, August 1, 1881. THE STEAMSHIP "JAPAN," Captain T. S. GARDNER, FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature,

and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding her discharge or remaining on board after the 8th Instant, will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be

Consignees are hereby informed that any Claims must be made immediately. none will be entertained after the 10th Instant

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Hongkong, August 1, 1881. Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

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STEAMERS. THE S. S. GAELIC will be despatch-1 ed for San Francisco via Yokohama, For NAGASAKI AND YOKOHAMA.-

on TUESDAY, the 16th Instant, 1881, Connection being made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Freight will be received on board until t p.m. of the 15th August.

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing. A REDUCTION of 25 % made on RETURN PASSAGE ORDERS ISSUED. Consular Invoices to accompany Over-

land, Mexican, Central and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's. Offices addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central,

Hongkong, August 1, 1881.

CHAS. H. HASWELL, JR.,

SHIPPING. ARRIVALS.

July 30, Amoy, British steamer, 814, G. the 8th Instant, at Noon.

This Steamer has superior Accommoda- Strangers & Co. July 31, Chinking, British steamer, from Canton

July 31, Paladin, British steamer, 968, G. Parker, Shanghai July 26, General. 6118 C. M. S. N. Co.

ARRIVALS. July 31, Greyhound, British steamer, 226, D. Scott, Holhow and Macao July 30, General, -- ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

July 31, Antonio, British steamer, 1212, John Seaborne, London June 10, Penang, and Singapore July 25, General.-RUSSELL

Aug. 1, Kang-chi, Chinese steamer, 688, R. C. Marsden, Haiphong July 29, and Hoihow 31, General -O. M. S. N. Co. as Aug. 1, Japan, British steamer, 1865, T. S. Gardner, Calcutta June 17, Penang 24, and Singapore 26, 1,900 chests Opium, 1,689 bales Cotton, 140 bales Gunnies, 2,713 bags Saltpetre, and 11,000 pkgs. Sundries -DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Aug. 1, Tientsin, British steamer, 682, Robinson, Chinkiang July 26, Rice.— BUTTERFIELD & SWIBE. Aug. 1, Takasago Maru, Japanese str.,

1230, C. Young, Yokohama July 23, via Kobe, General.—M. B. M. S. S. Co. Aug. 1, Emuy, Spanish steamer, 222, F. Blanco, Manila July 29, General.—Resce-DIOS & Co.

Aug. 1, Conquest, British steamer, 318, T. Hamlin, Haiphong July 29, and Hoi how 31, General.—Shun Hang Hong,

DEPARTURES.

July 30, Albay, for Amoy, &c. 31, Esmeralda, for Amoy. 31, Paladin, for Canton. 31, Amoy, for Canton. 31, H.M.S. Swift, for Amoy. 31, Louisa, for Chefoo. Anna, for Tientsin. 31, Fokien, for Amoy, &c.-31, Hainan, for Hoihow, &c. 31, Ribston, for Sarawak.

31, Octava, for Manila. 31, Anna Sieben, for Falmouth. 31, Conquest, for New York. Aug. 1, Tientsin, for Canton. 1, Kwangtung, for Coast Ports.

_CLEARED. Wycliffe, for Newchwang. PASSENGERS.

Per Amoy, from Shanghai, Mr G. Orley, and 19 Chinese. Per Kang-chi, from Hoillow, &c., Wong Soi Chun, Wing Fat Chiong, one European (deck), and 26 Chinese. Per Japan, from Calcutta, &c., Mrs T. S. Gardner, Messrs C. C. Apcar, J. John, A. Apcar, and 367 Chinese deck.

Per Takasago Maru, from Yokohama, &c., Capt. McMacken, 1 European, and 4 Chinese steerage. Per Greyhound; from Holhow, &c., 18 Per Antonio, from Singapore, &c., 31 Chi-

Per Emuy, from Manila, 144 Chinese. Per Kwangtung, for Swatow, Mr and Miss Focken; for Foochow, Capt. C. W. Per Albay, for Taiwanfoo, Mr W. Brewer; for Amoy, &c., 50 Chinese. Per Fokien, for Amoy, &c., 2 Europeans, and 140 Chinese. Per Haman, for Holhow, &c., 24 Chinese.

Per Ribston, for Sarawak, 12 Chinese. SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Paladin reports On the July 27th, passed a large wreck painted lead colours, apparently about 700 tons, in lat. 23.19 N., long. 121.51 E. The British steamer Greyhound reports Fine weather throughout the voyage.

The Chinese steamer Kang-chi reports All Claims against the Steamer must be | Haiphong to Hoihow, moderate variable kong, moderate S.S.E. wind and fine wer ther. In Haiphong: French men-of-war Hamelin and Percival, and S. S. Yottung. The British steamer Japan reports After leaving Singapore, experienced moderate S.W. monsoon up to Pulo Sapata, thence to arrival light monsoon and fine. The British steamer Tientsin reports

Light southerly winds with fine clear weather throughout the passage. The Japanese steamer Takasago Maru reports: Fine weather throughout via Inland The Spanish steamer Emuy reports: Light wind from S.W. throughout. The British steamer Conquest reports Left Haiphong July 29th at 5 a.m.; arrived

in Hoihow on 30th at 9 a.m.; left at 4 a.m.

on 31st. Light southerly winds and fine

CARGO. Per American barque Conquest, sailed 31st July :- For New York, 69 cases Es-

weather throughout.

sential Oils, 134 bales Hides, 4,225 bags Sugar, 250 rolls Matting, 100 cases Gallnuts, 1,776 pkgs. Cassia, 9 cases Chinaware, 1,811 pkgs. Fire Crackers, and 41 bales Canes.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close: For SHANGHAL .-Per Chinking, at 1.30 p.m. To-morrow the 2nd inst.

For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS .-Per Charles Townsend Hook, at 3.30 p.m. on Tuesday, the 2nd Aug. narrow sphere of this Island. For MANILA .--Per Emuy, at 4.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the

2nd Aug.

ADEN via TRIESTE .-Per Hungaria, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the 5th Aug. For MANILA. Per Esmeralda, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday,

the 5th inst. Per Malacca, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 5th August. For KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.-

Per Takasago Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 5th Aug. For MANILA, MACASSAR, SOURAvia MACAO. Per Atjeh, at 11.30 a.m., on Monday,

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET .--The British Contract Packet Verona will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 4th August, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gib reltar. This is the best opportunity for forwarding Correspondence to Mau-

N.B. - This Packet carries no mails for the Australian Colonies. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .-

The French Contract Packet Dieman Europe, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Unloutta, Aden, Egypt, Maita,

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, do

and Gibraltar

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping. Notice of Optional Cargo per Antonio to be sent in before Noon.

2 p.m.—Chinkiang leaves for Shanghai, 5 p.m .- Emuy leaves for Manila. Goods per Takasago Maru undelivered will be landed.

Auctions. 2 p.m.-Auction of Japanese Bronzet &c., at Mr J. M. Armstrong's. Meeting. 9 p.m.-Meeting of Zetland Lodge.

Miscellaneous. Chinese Imperial Silver Loan, of 1881, payable.

General Memoranda. THURSDAY, August 4:-Goods per Amazone undelivered after Noon, subject to rent and landing 4 p.m.-English Mail leaves for Ports of

Call and Europe.

FRIDAY, August 5 :-Noon .- Namoa leaves for Coast Ports. 4 p.m. - Esmeralda leaves for Manila, 4 p.m .- Hungaria leaves for Singapor Goods per Electra undelivered after this date subject to rent.

SATURDAY, August 6 :-Daylight .- Mitsu Bishi Mail leaves for Yokohama, &c. Goods per Hungaria undelivered after this date subject to rent.

Monday, August 8 :-Noon. - Atjeh leaves for Manila, Macas-Goods per Japan undelivered after this date subject to rent. THURSDAY, August 11:-

Noon.-French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

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MANUFACTURERS

Hongkong, June 1, 1876. BIRTH. On the 18th June, at No. 66, Bluff, Yokohama, the Wife of G. W. HILL, Esq., of

The publication of this issue commence at 7.45 p.m. The China Mail.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, AUGUST 1, 1881. As the press of this Colony is occasionally accused by half-informed outsiders of being unduly imbued with local pre-Hennessy, it may not be out of place to of the House of Assembly of Barbadees. Barbadoes, as most residents are aware, is the seat of the last Government over the document in which the following their worst; facts are set forth is a Memorial, dated 11th July 1876, presented by the House of Assembly to Her Majesty. Had the record of Governor Hennessy been one a peaceful and satisfactory kind before his arrival in Hongkong, there might have been some ground for supposing that local feeling may have had something to do with the almost overwhelming sense of distrust and dislike which has taken possession of this community concerning their present ruler. Such, however, is not the case. Wherever felt compelled to pass upon the existing Administration are peculiar to the

Mr Hennessy arrived in Barbadoes on 1st November 1875; in January For STRAITS, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, following, so the Assembly Memorial states, he "began to munifest. intention of putting pressure on the Legislature by an indirect appeal to the masses of the population." certain exciting speech delivered the Council Chamber in March-the sensation and excitement were daily increased, and became intensified from class and others, by Policemen. These copies were not literal reprints of the Speech an extract from a newspaper coneffect produced by its delivery."

tion upon the Windward Islands more correctly falls upon the Colonial Office, are, feel that there cannot be any justification for a Governor treating the free and that this was the reason why Go-loyal citizens of an old British Colony, remor Hennessy was promoted from which has all along enjoyed the precious that Government to Hongkong, with a rights of self-government as though they larger salary than, he had hitherto were the subjects of a despotic rule which the 11th August, with Mails to and enjoyed. But we desire to record that is not liable to question and not amenable through the United Kingdom and the methods adopted by Mr Hennessy to counsel. in carrying out the Imperial policy in Barbadoes produced many incidents in 1876, similar to those made soon at-

the Governor." The infliction of corporal punishment was made much of a Executive, and in a way that was "calculated to excite strongly the feelings of the lower classes, and to array them against the Legislature, as though they were responsible for the abuses complained of by the Governor and not the Executive itself." The ferment caused by the public speeches of the Attorney General (a Mr H. R. Semper, and those of emisseries who moved about the country, soon became alarming; and the agitators were denounced by the public press. The Me-

morial proceeds :-That the Governor in the meantime came to be regarded with a mistrust, which in a few weeks reached the point of utter loss of confidence in him by the entire body of the respectable classes, while numbers of the peasantry flocked to Government House, and the other residences of His Excellency. to seek interviews with him, and the discontent and unsettled habits of this class of people were noticed to increase in all parts

of the Country. That the masses had not in any wise complained of any grievance, or injustice crying for redress; and the country for half a century had been so uniformly peaceful, that it was thought morally impossible that such a population as that of Barbados had shown itself to be, even during the critical transition period of the apprenticeship system, could be so manipulated as to be excited to perpetrate a general or extensive rising in actual tumult or riot.

It is alleged that the agitators alluded to were using the Governor's name as an authority for their dangerous proceedings; and the most influential hodies of the community sought to bring the state of affairs to the notice of His Excellency, but without effect. The riots : which followed are matters of history; but without reopening the question as to who was principally to blame for these disturbances, it is sufficient for our purpose to show how the administration of Governor Hennessy was then conducted, according to the opinion of the House of Assembly of that time. One paragraph of the Memorial is as follows :-

That Your Majesty's Petitioners have already remarked upon the exciting and vehement speeches delivered in the Council Chamber, in the presence of an assembled crowd, by Mr Semper, the Attorney-General of the Colony and a member of the Executive Council. This gentleman has not hesitated in his place at the Council Board to show that his speeches were intended for the crowd and not for the Board. Besides doing this in the Council Chamber, he has otherwise laboured to excite the lower against the upper classes by articles contri-buted by him to the editorial columns of a newspaper called The Barbados People and Windward Islands Gazette, recently established in this Island, and circulated by agents among the masses in Town and Country. Moreover, it was currently reported that the man Morris was known to be in frequent direct communication with Mr Semper, and was commonly seen at his Chambers. And after Morris had been apprehended, as already stated, and lodged in prison, and while investigation into the charge by the Magistrate was pending, Mr. Semper, who, as Attorney-General, is required to frame indictments against and prosecute all persons charged with indictable offences at the Court of Grand Sessions sought and obtained, as your Majesty's Petitioners are advised, private interviews with him while in prison. Furthermore the Attorney-General, being present in court when Mr Pilgrim, Police Magistrate of St. Philip's Parish, announced his intention to commit a man' named John Richard Clarke to take his trial at the Court of Grand Sessions for robbery, publicly dejudice in its criticism of Governor clared his resolution, in the presence of a crowded court room, not to send up to the cast a glance at the opinions entertained Grand Jury a Bill of Indictment against by the Speaker and twenty-one members the prisoner for that offence. This announcement drew forth the cheers of many of the persons of the lower class in Court. Your Majesty's Petitioners may be permitted to record the fact that this event which Sir John Hennessy presided; and occurred the day before the riots reached

The same tendency to carry out bis own particular views irrespective of the opinion of the Councils nominated and appointed to advise him, that has marked the rule of Sir John Hennessy in this Colony, appears very clearly in the following extract :--

That not the least of the grievances endured by the people of this Colony, is to be found in the spirit evinced by the Governor, virtually to override the House of Assembly. and not only to put the Executive above the law, but to supersede the law itself. the Head of our Executive has gone, he By a sudden, and as your Majesty's Petihas carried the seeds of discord with tioners venture to submit, an indiscriminahim; and it is therefore mere folly to ting liberation on ticket-of-leave of batches assert that the severe strictures we have of old and hardened convicts, and an ting short sentences imposed by magistrates for petty larcenies and other minor offences, the arm of Justice has been weakened in a degree which has produced

effects which are generally visible among

the lower classes of society whose tone and conduct not seldom indicate a confident sense on their part, that they are free to indulge a license which the certainty, rather than the severity of punishment has hitherto restrained within manageable limits. This Memorial further states that after a spirit of bringing direct Executive influence to bear upon the administration of the law as it affects the humbler classes, has even been manifested in one instance at least by His Excellency applying to the Judge of a Small Causes Court, in a civil case between the circumstance that over 2,000 extra subject and subject, to stay execution after copies of the Official Gazette containing judgment had been given in favour of one the Speech were printed by order of the of the litigants. Furthermore His Excel-BAYA, SAMARANG, & BATAVIA, Government, and issued, contrary to all lency in the case of the riot at Mount Proprecedent and custom, from the Colonial and impartial administration of justice by, Secretary's Office, to excited crowds of on the one hand when the colonial and impartial administration of justice by, men and women, many of them of the to those persons of the labouring class, who lowest classes, and circulated throughhave been charged with being implicated
out the Country, among the labouring in that riot, while, on the other hand, he caused to be instituted, and strenuously pressed, the prosecution against planters and others who were charged with a like Gazette, but there was appended to the offence. The tendency of this entire policy is towards an absorption by the Executive veying an incorrect impression of the in itself of unlimited power, these and ffect produced by its delivery."

Other grievances of a similar kind are sorely oppressive to a people, who, like your Mablame of attempting to force Confedera- jesty's loyal subjects of this latend, whose tion upon the Windward Islands more representatives Your Majory Petitioners

Complaints were made in Barbadoes

analogous to those that have since terwards in Hongkong, of the mantier occurred in Hongkong, where it can in which Governor Hennessy enhardly be alleged that any definite Im- deavoured to pack the Legislature with perial Policy has been imposed upon men whose adaptability to his views was

cup as follows:--.

That as the natural result of all events and circumstances; before detailed, Your Majesty's Petitioners and the classes posseased of property and pretending to intelligence and education, no longer have any confidence in the present Executive, and are pursuaded that useful legislation, and contentment, and good feeling among the several orders of society, and the wonted energetic and successful pursuit of agriculture and trade, will hardly find place so long as the Executive administration continues in the hands and under the direction of His Excellency John Pope Hennessy, Esquire, C.M.G., and subject to the advice and counsel of Mr Hugh Riley Semper, Your Majesty's Attorney-General for this

Colony.

It may be alleged by the advocates of Governor Hennessy that the hostility with which that high official has been greeted in this Colony was the outcome of his former reputation. But any one who has noted with care the movements of public opinion here during the last four years and a quarter can easily give a decided denial to that statement. No Governor ever had a better chance of a successful and propitious career than had the present occupant of the chief has ever succeeded in making himself of the year. so hopelessly unpopular as he has done. He has been judged by his acts; and as this judgment happens to agree with a painful exactness with that arrived at in the Colony from which he came to

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but too correct.

this Island, we are afraid the verdict is

The next ENGLISH MAIL may be expected to arrive here, by the P. & O. str. Zambesi, on Thursday morning, the 4th August. Her London dates are 1st

The next AMERICAN MAIL may be expected to arrive here on or about the 4th proximo by the O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Gaelic which brings San Francisco dates to the 11th instant.

A MAIL will leave Singapore for Bangkok at 3 p.m. on 2nd instant.

WE (Catholic Register) hear that the election of a Deputy for Macao takes place in October next.

THE resignation of Mr Gibbons, Registrar of the Supreme Court, is gazetted; it dates from March 1st, 1881.

In our report of the meeting of the China Traders' Insurance Company on Saturday, the reserve fund was given as \$75,000, instead of \$475,000.

WE are informed by the Agents (Messrs Butterfield & Swire) that the O. S. S. Co. steamer Ajax from Liverpool, left Singapore, yesterday, for this port.

WE understand that Mr Foster, who will establish himself as General Agent of the P. M. S. S. Co. here, comes down by the O. & O. steamer Gaelic.

To-DAY being, under Ordinance No. 6 of 1875, a Bank holiday, it has also been ob- Brigade rates, in which there is a decrease served as a holiday by the Government of \$5,150. The largest increases are land Offices and the Courts, by direction of the revenue, \$32,768; fees of office, \$13,316; Governor.

A TABLE of the cost of plants, seeds &c., procured from England, China and Japan during the five years, from July 20th 1876 to July 20th 1881, is published in the Gazette for general information, over the signature of Mr Chas. Ford, Superintendent, Botanic and Afforestation Department.

THE returns of births and deaths in the which were tree planting, Government Colony for the second quarter of 1881 end. Gardens, &c., \$3,348; miscellaneous sering 30th June shows that the total number | vices \$2,959; educational \$1,026; of births in the British and foreign com- tary expenditure \$1,789; and gaol \$1,152. munity were 39; and of deaths 37. There were decreases in eleven branches of Amongst the Chinese the total number of expenditure amounting in all to \$44,822, births were 290; and of deaths 844. The there being as large a sum as \$18,296 less annual death rate per 1,000 for the second spent on works and buildings during the tion, 21.96; for the British and foreign 1880, the respective figures being \$6,965 for (Before community, 15.23; for the same deducting the first half of the present year out of non-residents 13.08; and for the Chinese an estimated expenditure for the year of

A RETURN is published of the number of of \$25,261. There is a decrease in the paycases tried at the Police Court under the | ments on account of the Postmaster General " Public Gambling Amendment Ordinance, 1876" during the years 1879 and 1880. In account of police there is a decrease for the the latter year there were 76 cases, the half year of 85.527; roads, streets and total number of prisoners being 549; of bridges follow works and buildings; \$6,521 whom 402 were convicted and punished, 3 less was spent during the first half of the being bound over by recognizance to an- present year than, during the first half swer any charge and to be of good behavi- of 1880. Out of an estimate for the year our, and 144 discharged. Last year there of \$40,520, only \$13,265 was expended, comwere 133 cases, and 637 prisoners, of whom | pared with \$19,787 during the corresponding 523 were convicted and punished, 9 were period of 1880. bound over, and 105 were discharged.

GOVERNMENT notifications appear in the Gazette of the extension for six months of the leave of absence granted to the Colonial Secretary (Hon. W. H. Marah, C. M. G.), of the resignation by Dr. Stewart of the position of Acting Colonial Secretary, and his assumption of his duties as Magistrate, and of the other appointments that that change on the fourth anniversary of my arrival in quite drunk. He got two chair coolies and has brought about. These have already been recorded in our columns. The ap- in which I touched on the practical saist- witness's coat and trousers and pulled our pointment as a temporary and provisional measure" of Surgeon Major Jas. Murray, A.M.D., to be Acting Superintendent of the Government Civil Hospital, is also gazetted?

THE article which appeared in our Saturthat date was forwarded to us by the publisher of that paper and set from what purported to be an advance proof of a contribution to or utterance of that journal. Had this not been so, we should not have inserted it in any form. The opinions, we Buch By what concatenation of circum. Chinese merchants, congratulating you on which he refused to do. Witness seized light, on the slack tide. She passed Woo- salute of 7 guns on leaving.

written and set in type, we do not feel called upon to explain. But after this plain explanation our readers will, we think, agree in holding with us that we are certainly not at fault in the matter.

cash transactions within the Colony Tfrom 1st January to 30th June, 1881," is published in the Gazette. The balance from last account is set down as \$93,895.05. The interest on fixed deposits for the quartor ended 31st December, 1880, was \$1,028.36, the interest on current account for the half year to the same date \$11.62, and the interest on fixed deposits for the quarter ended March 31st, \$1,173.68. These give a total of \$96,108.71. There has been paid out \$120 every month "for detection and suppression of gambling. The return does not show to whom this money has been paid. There is a contribution towards Police Expenditure (balance of interest) of \$1,493.66; and the balance seat in the Government when he stepped at the credit of the account (June 30th) is on Peddar's Wharf in April 1877; and \$93,895.05—which is precisely the balance an institution to which the port of Yokoha it may safely be said that no Governor the account started with at the beginning

> CONSIDERABLE amusement was created today by the bold appearance of the first page of the Government Gazette. Hitherto the official proclamation of Ordinances in the Gazette has been effected by a fairly sober form, in which the parts played by Her Most Gracious Majesty, the Secretary of State, the Governor, and Colonial Secretary were neatly enough placed in their relative positions of importance. The usual form opens with the recital of the Governor's names and titles; the "whereas a despatch has been received conveying Her Majesty's gracious confirmation," &c., follows the name of the particular ordinance is then given; and the concluding sentence is,

> Now, therefore, it is hereby Proclaimed. that the said Ordinance has been so confirmed and allowed as aforesaid. -God Save the Queen." This simple style has now been abandoned by the new acting Colonial Secretary (the Hon. M. S. Tonnochy); and the Royal "We" and "Us" are used instead of the stereotyped form. His Excellency is evidently determined not to hide his light in his own columns; and if he edits the Gozette, why should be not use

A comparative statement of the revenu and expenditure of the Colony for the month of June and the first six months of 1880 and 1881 is published in the Gazette. The total receipts from 1st January to 30th June this year were \$560,720 as against receipts in corresponding period of 1880 \$493,000; and an estimated revenue for increases in all branches of receipts one-the Police, Lighting, Water and Fire stamps, \$16,049. The increases in all amount to \$72,870. The payments from 1st January to 30th June 1881 were \$414,531, as against payments from 1st January to 30th June 1880, of \$447,776; and an estimated expenditure for the year 1881 of 8986,422. In eight branches there are increases in the payments amounting altogether to \$11,577—the principal of. quarter of 1881 was for the whole popula- first six months of 1881 as compared with \$78,800; and compared with an actual expenditure during the first half of last year exclusive of establishments of \$12,091; on

> THERE is published in the last Gazette in drunk, and was fined 50 cents or one day's English and Chinese a despatch from the imprisonment. Governor to the Secretary of State for the Colonies dated April 28th in these terms:-My Lord, I beg leave to enclose a copy

> of an address I had the honour of receiving | charged as above. from a few of the principal native merchants who came as a deputation on the behalf of the Chinese community to congratulate me saw the two defendants lying on the road this Colony. I have also the honour to lay brought them to the Police Station. before Your Lordship a copy of my reply. ance Her Majesty's Chinese subjects have some of his hair. The second defendant given to the Government in bringing kid- was not violent. nappers to justice, and in preventing the spread of small-pox in Hongkong.

Of course, the Governor now takes occasion to reproduce, in English and Chinese, the full text of the "congratulatory address day's issue as from the Catholic Register of by the Chinese people, gentry and merchants of the whole Colony," with which our readers are already familiar. Lord Kimberley's acknowledgement of the amusing document is curt and to the point.

almost assured; and the memorial winds | stances the article did not appear in the | behalf of the Chinese community on the |

COMMANDER EVANS. of the unfortunate Doterel, who is to be tried by court-martial, was well known for some years on this station as commander of H.M.S. Hart, which was stationed during 1878 and 1879 in Kobe and Yokohama.

WHAT is called a "Special Fund account of RUMOURS are current in Hongkong that H. E. Governor Honnessy is likely soon to leave the Colony, and there are many speculations as to his probable successor, Sir Henry T. Irving, K.C.M.G., and brother of the Hon. C. J. Irving, C.M.G., Resident Councillor of Malacca, being the latest favourite. We have reason to believe that Governor Hennessy is as likely as not to make out his full term of office. and whether or not, it is much more probable that Sir Henry Irving will succeed Sir James Longden in Ceylon than Sir John Pope Hennessy in Hongkong. Straits Times.

> WE (Japan Gazette) are informed that Mr F. E. Foster, the general-agent of the Pacific Mail S. S. Co. for China and Japan, is about to proceed to Hongkong, to which port the head-quarters of the company will be transferred. Mr Foster has resided in Japan for some years, where his excellent management of the affairs of P. M. S. S. Co. has done much to restore the popularity of ma owes much of its prosperity, and which was, from various causes not wholly unconnected with the company itself, somewhat lowered in public estimation when Mr Foster took charge. The many friends of this gentleman will hear of his intended departure with regret; while the good people of Hongkong are to be congratulated upon a change which brings to their social circle such deservedly popular members as Mr and Mrs Foster. Some surprise will be evinced at the transfer of the head office from Yokohama to Hongkong. This port has always been considered the key to Japan and China, forming as it does the junction for the traffic flowing towards the United States from Hongkong and Shanghai, and the other ports of Japan. The P. M. S. S. Co. is so closely identified with Yokohama that the change cannot be regarded with satisfaction. though no doubt there are numerous good reasons for it. We only reflect public opinion by expressing regret for the necessity which brings about these changes.

> > EDUCATION IN HONGKONG GRANTS BY MR. BELILIOS.

The following interesting correspondence pears in the Gazette :-Governor Sir John Pope Hennessy K.C.M.G., to the Right Honourable The Earl of Kimberley.

Government House, Hongkong, 7th March, 1881. My LORD, -With reference to my de spatch No. 17 of the 1st March 1881, enclosing Bishop Burdon's appeal for a donation of \$1,000 to the Hongkong Public School, I have the honour to lay before Your Lordship a copy of a letter I observe in the local papers from Bishop Burdon, thanking Mr Belilios for a donation of

\$2,000 towards the support of the School. 2,-Bishop Burdon is right in saying that it is not the first time Mr Belilios has come forward to assist the Educational work of Hongkong. In 1879 he generously endowed certain scholarships at the Central School and St. Joseph's College, and a scholarship for the medical training of the Hongkong Chinese. I have the honour to lay before

the year 1881 of \$1,084,663. There are Your Lordship some printed papers on this 3.-Indeed, no individual in the history of this Colony has done so much for the interests of Education here as Mr Belilios .--

> I have, &c., J. POPE HENNESSY, Governor. The Right Honourable The Earl of Kimberley, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, &c., &c., &c.

> The Right Honourable The Earl of Kimberley to Governor Sir John Pope Hennessv. K.C.M.G.

Downing Street, 10th May, 1881. SIR, -I have received your despatch No. 22 of the 7th March, with enclosures, informing me of the donation of \$2,000 to the Hongkong Public School by Mr Belilios. 2.-You remind me that this is not the first time that that gentleman has come forward in support of the Educational work of the Colony; and I notice with much pleasure the assistance which he has now so generously given to the Public School .-I have, &c., KIMBERLEY.

Governor Sir J. Pope Hennessy; K.O.M.G. &c., &c., &c.

Police Intelligence.

H. E. Wodehouse, Esq., Police Magistrate. Monday, August 1st.

UNLAWPUL POSSESSION OF A CAT.

Wong Akwong was charged with being in unlawful possession of a cut. P. C. 169 said that this morning about 5.45 he was on duty in Hollywood Road, when he saw the defendant carrying bundle under his arm. Witness on examin ation found that it contained a cat. Defendant said he had got it from the master of an opium divan to take to a friend, but on inquiry this man said he knew nothing about it. The cat would be worth about fifty cents in the market. Defendant had

been in gaol before. Prisoner was fined \$2 or six weeks' in risonment with hard labour.

John Waltun, assistant engineer, on the gunboat Kappa, admitted having been

DRUNK AND DISORDERLY. Thomas Smith and Leon Hilman seame on board the barque John Munro, were

P.C. 612 said that at midnight on Saturported by the Glenroy two more rotary road day, while on duty in Aberdeen Street. he sweepers and another mud scraper by Cross-First defendant was very violent and tore

First defendant was fined 50 cents one day's imprisonment, and had to pay 50 cents amends for damage done to Government property, or a further term of one day in gool. Second defendant 50 cents or one day's imprisonment.

(Before Frederick Stewart, Esq.)

DISORDERLY CONDUCT. Lok Achun, Kun Asu, and Choi Ming Hing were charged with disorderly conduct

at Queen's Road East yesterday.

publication, for which it was manifestly fourth anniversary of your arrival in the chest three times. Second defendant then Buoy she made three circles to test the there, and also called out "Ta." On the worked either by hand or steam, there stable, and then pursued and arrested third defendant. A large crowd gathered and there was much excitement

P.C. No. 3 corroborated. The first defendant accused the first witness of striking and kicking him. Second defendant merely advised the first to go quietly to the station, and the third said knew nothing about the first and second defendants: he was merely passing. First defendant was fined \$5, or seven days in prison with hard labour; and the second and third \$2 each or two days' imrisonment with hard labour.

Chan Akan was charged with stealing one quilt and one jacket on the 30th ult Ip Akwai said he was a bricklayer working at Praya Central. On the 30th ult. he

brother. His quilt had been left in the redress is simpossible under the circumhouse next to the one in which he was

another-man walking about in a suspicious | the defendant for passage money from manner. He saw defendant go into a house, Tientsin to Shanghai. In-the afternoon, while the other man remained outside, appa- an express was circulated to the effect that rently watching. Witness went up to the the defendant had died suddenly the same house when the other man walked off, and morning, and was to be buried on the folon defendant coming out with a bundle he lowing Sunday afternoon. Under the cir-

brother told him he had-left a quilt and the announcement of the death was a hoax, secure these, which he did. He admitted claim of the plaintiffs was satisfied. having been in gaol before for a similar could not therefore have been circulated to Sentence-6 modilis in gaol with hard

SELLING FRESH PORK. A Chinaman was fined \$2 or four days' imprisonment for selling fresh pork in the

THROWING RUBBISH INTO THE HARBOUR. Ng Afo admitted having committed this offence, and was fined \$1 or four days in gaol with hard labour.

DAMAGING TREES. Wong Apin was charged with cutting trees on the Hill-side on the 30th ult. Constable gave evidence as to seeing defen- ther Tls. 60. dant and another man breaking off the shrubs and fruit produced.

Defendant was fined \$1 or four days' imprisonment with-hard labour. -\$1 to go to We gave the correct version of the matter the Constable. WITHOUT A CERTIFICATE.

Chai Awing admitted having been in pos- probable. session of some prepared opium, and was fined \$5, or seven days' imprisonment—the opium to go to the Farmer.

DISOBBDIENCE OF ORDERS. Tain Wang Sing was charged by Ramon Maurente, merchant, with refusing to obey

Complainant said that defendant was his coolie. On several occasions he had asked defendant togo to his office and remove an article of furniture. On several occasion he had told him to do this, but he had paid no attention. On Saturday when asked to do so he became very impudent. Witness sent for a constable.

had struck him on the mouth. Prisoner was fined \$5 or seven days in

INDECENT ASSAULT. Chang Aheung was charged by To Amui, a married woman, with indecently assault-

After evidence had been heard, the defendant, who said he was drunk accidentally stumbled against complainant was sent to gad for six weeks with hard

THEFT OF CLOTHING. some clothing on the 25th of June Leung Fat said he was a bricklayer. had reported the theft of some clothing on the 25th of June. He had not seen defendant since till last night.

clothing and was sentenced to six weeks' imprisonment with hard labour.

China SHANGHAL.

(Courier.) The French gunboat Letin, four guns 100 horse power, Rouvier, Commander, arrived here yesterday (24th) from Cherbourg and ports to relieve the Adonais on this

Yesterday morning (24th) smoke was noticed to be issuing from one of the coal bunkers of the Stratow. The alarm was immediately given, and the smoking coals removed without further danger to the

During the few minutes that the heavy shower lasted this afternoon (25th) the thermometer fell from 96° to 87°.

The Pechili is loading gas-engine and pumping machinery for Tientsin. The Lapwing has received sailing orders for home vid the Cape, and only awaits the arrival of her new Commander to leave the

We understand that Mr H. Cooper, of the Associated Wharves, who was recently severely injured by the falling of some machinery, is gradually getting convalescent. The injuries were of a serious nature; so much so that the right arm was paralysed. . There is a handsome steam launch on the Associated Wharves. It arrived some time ago from London, by the Hesperia for Vladivostock. The launch formerly ran on the Thames as a passenger boat, and was called the Miranda. Her speed was said to have been fifteen knots an hour.

The Municipal Council have lately im-

kill and Sons, of Beverley, Yorkshire. The Council now have three of each of these machines. We believe two of each will be kept in the English settlement, and the others will remain for service in Hongkew. We have before now noticed the way in which the Chinese carry sheep and pigs on corvette Stosch, carrying the pennant of wheelbarrows. This morning a foreigner Captain von Blanc, Commodore of the saw four sheep tied on a wheelbarrow with German Squadron in China and Dapan, their heads hanging down. He took the from Wilhelmshaven via Batavis, unchored wheelbarrow man to the Station. Before in the roads yesterday afternoon, (24th) jinricahas came into rogue drunken sailors and exchanged salutes with Fort Canning. used to be carried on wheelbarrows in the The Storch is a vessel of 2,856 tons, 2,500 same manner. Happily there are few horse power, carries 16 15-centimetre and drunken men about the settlement now 4 8 centimetre guns and 376 men. compared with formerly, while the custom | Storch called at Plymouth, Madeira, and

him, when defendant struck him on the sung light-house at 11.45. Outside the Red ness by the arm. Third defendant was also satisfactory. This steering gear can be arrival of P.C. No. 3, third defendant being a wheel in the pilot house for manual Witness gave first and second de- exertion and a much smaller one on the fendant into the custody of the other con- | bridge for steam. The steamer made about 91 knots an hour. On the return trip, the Woosung Bar was reached at 1 p.m., and the wharf at 2.45. Several professional gentlemen went on the trip and have expressed themselves satisfied with the result

Our Newchwang correspondent, under date July 18, writes as follows :-- We have had three heavy rains, which seem to have brought warm weather. The thermometer has been up to 90° Fahrt, in the shade, and during the night keeps up to 70°. If there be the usual breeze we do not feel the lient much-and we may presume, compared with the reports from southern districts, that we are tolerably cool. The deadlock at Swatow caused by the action of the Customs there, is making its mark here, the shipping being already less than usual and very soon we may be entitled to the white gloves, on account of there not being charge of a Police constable. Defendant a vessel in port. The loss will be severely had his quilt and a jacket belonging to his felt by shipowners generally, and I suppose

On Saturday week a case was heard P.C. 129 said he saw the defendant and the Summary Court to recover Tls. 30 from Defendant said his brother used to work | not to publish the report of the proceedings in the house. He was now sick. This in the Summary Court. We now find that jacket behind him, and defendant went to the object in view being a mystery, as the defraud the plaintiffs. We have heard of a similar hoax perpetrated in Foochow some years ago. A coffin was found floating in the River Min with the following words on the lid :- " -- Lived in dishonour, died

> in disgrace. (Mercurye) Li Hung-Chang has been appointed, we hear, Commander-in-Chief of the eighteen

We hear that the memorial from Tso about opium was incorrect in some particulars as given in the Shenpan. We understand that Li and Tso have agreed with Sir Thomas Wade that Lekin shall be fixed at Tls. 30, to be paid at the same time as the duty; that is, import duty and lekin toge-

An impression seems to prevail that Board of Consuls have been terrified into vetoing the Tramway by the Taotai's letter. a few days ago, and nothing further has been done in the matter. We should think that the votoing story at any rate was im-

> Japan. YOKOHAMA.

The Board of Managers of the American Bible Society have divided the field known as "China and Japan." Dr Gulick, who has had charge heretofore, is assigned to China, and Roy. Henry Loomis to Japan. We are glad to observe by the most recent papers from home that Dr Halliday Masartney, English Secretary to the Chinese Legation in England, has received from the Queen the honour of a companionship of the order of St. Michael and St. George. Defendant said what he was asked to do on the occasion of her Mejesty's birthday. Calentta during the absence on leave of was no part of his work. Complainant Dr Macartney, we believe, first came out to Lieutenant A. W. Stiffe for three months the East in 1857-8, as surgeon to the 99th from 3rd instant. Regiment, then occupying Canton. He tions in Russia. The only similar honours | delivery within one mile. bestowed on Englishmen in the Chinese service are the Companionship of the Bath

granted to Colonel Gordon, and Mr Hart, the Inspector-General of Chinese Customs. to the absence of his Majesty the Mikado the pressure of financial exigencies, the from Tokio during the approaching visit of then department Budgovenuo, Agricul-Lum Alap was charged with stealing the Princes Albert Victor and George of ture and Commerce was abolished as a se-England, his Highness Prince Haruhito, parate department, a measure adopted, not He father of the Sa-daijin the present repre- without reluctance, after careful considersentative of the house of Arisugawa, has ation of the views put forward by the while their Excellencies Sanjo Saneyoshi, of a department of Agriculture. Govern-Defendant admitted having stolen the Daijo Daijin, and Inouye Kaworu, Minister ment came to the conclusion that the for Foreign Affairs, and Mr Hatisuga, an constitution of a separate department of officer of the finance department, have been | Government was advisable in order that charged with the preparations which the full attention might be given to important generous hospitality of this country con-

tinguished visitors. foreign office, has been entrusted with the preparations for the reception of the two immediately affecting agricultural improvesons of the Prince of Wales, who are now making a cruise round the world in the of the people, and the material resources of Bacchante, one of the ships of the flying ! the country, it therefore appears inexpedient squadron under the command of Lord to make the new department responsible Clanwilliam. We have all a very high for all the general and miscollancous busiregard for the courtesy and hospitality ness which, for reasons of administrative shown by Japan towards every foreign convenience, was formerly conducted by the visitor of distinction; and if his Majesty department of Revenue, Agriculture and the Mikado were not about to leave the Commerce. All matters accordingly concapital on an extended tour through the nected with the following subjects will come northern provinces of his dominions, render- | before the new department. The Land ing his presence in Tokio during the stay of Revenue, Surveys, excluding Archaelogical the young princes in Japan impossible, the and Marine Surveys, Agriculture and Hortproposed reception would have been thank- iculture. Mineral, Meteorology, Famine, fully accepted as a fresh indication of regard and, subject to reconsideration, Emigration. for Great Britain. As his Majesty, how- Mr.C. E. Bernard is appointed Secretary ever, cannot return to Tokio before October, to the department, but continues to officiate there will be no court, and it is possible as Chief Commissioner of Burma. Mr C. that any official or semi-official reception L. Buck officiates as Secretary, and, pending under such circumstances may be grate- his return, Mr C. L. Supper will act in that fully but firmly declined by those in charge post. A grant of a lakh and a half has been of the princes, of whom the eldest stands | sanctioned for the purchase of sites for the next but one in succession to the crown of new Offices of Government. The selection England, and the younger is heir presump- of an Office for the Military Department is tive. Japan has displayed so many evi- to be the first taken in hand. The buildings April. dences of good will towards foreigners that for the various new offices, as contemplated 4, Don Quixote, Englishmen can well afford to accept the are to be plain, but substantial, structures kind intention for the act; and it would much after the style of the new Government surely be more consonant with the fitness of Press building. things that in the present state of the finances no expenditure should be incurred to furnish fresh and unnecessary proof of Select Committees on the Bills to define the desire of the government to establish their reputation as kind, courteous, and most liberal hosts.

Singapore. His Imperial Gorman Majesty's steam

of carrying sheep and pigs is not now uni- Capetown. She left Capetown on the 18th June, and arrived at Batavia on the 18th The Pechili went on her trial trip yester- July, which is certainly a remarkably quick day (22nd) after having been fitted with a passage. She left Batavia on the 21st P.C. 667 said the first defendant, who new four-blade propeller and Thompson's instant, and anchored in the roads here Sir, I have the honour to acknowledge was a public chair coolie, was in the habit steam steering gear. The officers' deck about 5 p.m. yesterday. The Stosch will the receipt of your despatch No. 45 of the of placing his chair on the footpath. He was houses have been rebuilt and six cargo remain here a few days and then proceed were led to believe, were those of the 28th of April, and to inform you that I sitting beside it on a large stone. Witness ports cut in the sides of the ship. She left to Hongkong. This morning the German Catholic Register, and we gave them only as have read with pleasure the address of the told him to remove the chair and the stone, at a quarter past 10 o'clock yesterday, flying Consul visited the ship, and received a

THE LOSS OF THE "ANNIE

S. HALL." With regard to the loss of the Annie S. Hall, our Ningpo correspondent, under date 23rd instant, writes as follows :-

The crew of the Annie S. Hall, American

schooner, arrived here vesterday morning

in the Chinese gun-boat Chi-And. They

report as follows :- Left Newchwang July

1st, with fair wind and fine weather. July 4th sighted an English barque, with whom they sailed in company until their disaster. On Friday 15th the vessel steered W.S.W. with the wind S.S.E. increasing to a gale. At 5.30 p.m. shipped heavy sen, which carried away main boom and shifted cargo, putting ship on her beam ends. About (o'clock shipped another heavy sea, which washed away the skylights and galley, and broke down the boat's skid. Finding that the vessel was now a wreck, and fast drifting on to a lee shore, which was considerably less than two miles off, both anchors were let go. The crew remained by the ship until morning. About 8 n.m. on Saturday they took to their boat, and were soon safely on shore on Taichow Island. their vessel going down shortly afterwards. They remained, on the island until 4 a.m. on Monday, when they were rescued by the Chinese gun-boat Chi-Aun and were brought into Ningpo by her yesterday morning. The shipwrecked crew speak in the very highest ferms of the kindness and consideration shown to them by the captain and officers of the gun-boat, and say that they cannot find words strong enough to express their feeling of gratitude and esteem.

THE INDIAN MAIL

EUROPEAN TELEGRAMS. London, July 15 .- Clauses 25 and 26 of the Irish Land Bill have passed the committee of the House of Commons. Afte the signature of the latter clause. Mr Gladstone strongly denounced the tactics of the extreme Home Rulers, which in his opinion legraded the House.

St. Petersburg, July 12 .- The Journal de St. Petersburg contradicts the rumoured negotiations between the Russian Government and the Morv chiefs, and says that Russia wishes no extension of territory and only desires to have her frontier settled and with this object negotiations have been opened with Persia.

Athens, July 6. -The Greek troops have occupied Arta and Punta. Public rejoicings in celebration of these events are taking place hore.

July 14.—The Freuch emissaries at Tris poli have been arrested. The Porte has explained that the reinforcements sent to Tripoli were despatched for purely adminis-

Paris, July 6 .- At a meeting of the Metallic Conference to-day, Signor Doda (Italian delegate) explained that Italy was willing to enter into the league of Latin Union and the United States on certain conditions. Mr Freemantle, the English delegato; made a semi-official statement that the Bank of England would willingly increase its reserve of silver if the league accepted unlimited silver coinage. Conference adjourned until Friday. July 15. - The national fêtes held to-day

have been observed throughout France with great enthusiasm. Constantinople, July 6 .- The sentence of death passed on Midhat Pacha has been commuted to exile to Arabia.

LATE INDIAN TELEGRAMS. Simla, July 1 .- Lieutenant F. Warden

is appointed to officiate as Port Officer of The Governor General in Council

afterwards entered the Chinese service, and pleased to sanction as an experimental when it was decided to establish a per- measure the introduction of branch telemanent mission in Europe he was appointed graph offices in towns and business centrer. Secretary, and accompanied the Marquis the charge for local messages will be four Tseng during his recent successful negotia- annus for each group of six words with free

July 5 .- A resolution by the Government of India has been published. stituting a department of Revenue and Agriculture with effect from 6 July. The Hochi Shimbun now states that owing It is pointed out that in 1879, unde been deputed to represent the Mikado; famine commission urging the institution branches of the administration alluded siders necessary for the reception of dis- to by the Commissioners. One of the chief objects of the new arrangements is Mr Miyamoto, chief secretary of the to enable Government to devote increased attention to the conduct of business more ments, the social and economical condition

> July 6 .- In to-day's Legislative Council Mr Stokes presented the reports of the and amend the Law relating to Private Trusts and Trustees and that relating to Easements and Licenses. Mr Stokes also introduced a Bill to define and amend the Law relating to the Emigration of natives of India. The Bill proposed to repeal the existing Law on this subject and to re-enact it with the introduction of amendments which experience has shown to be requisite. The following are the chief amendments proposed :- the words emigrate, emigrants. etc. to refer to and include the dependents of enigrants; the Governor General to have the power to establish ports and depots of emigration wherever he may think fit ! the presentage of 18, at which an emigrant may bind himself to an agreement, to be reduced to 16, and emigrants between the ages of 6 and 16 to have the power of binding themselves through their guardians, provided that, on reaching the age of 18, they may rescind the agreement; all agreements to be

in writing and the wording of the agreements to be precisely kild down by law. With regard to the Assum Labour Bill. its introduction at this Council, as had been Delis. anticipated, was unavoidably prevented, the Bill not being ready for presentation. The Ajax (s.)

Council adjourned to next Wednesday July 8.—It is reported from Muscat that Oman is generally disturbed from inter-

tribal wars. A battle has occurred between Cani-lan Ali and Beni-bu-Hassan in which bout 150 were killed. July 13. -The Turkish Government now

require all pilgrims and others landing in ports of the Hedjaz on the Arabian Littoral of the Red Sea to produce passports. Arrangements have been made for the issue of these at the Indian ports of embarkation, and passengers are liable to be refused permission to disembark unless they are provided with thom.

A Kandahar report, dated 8th July, states that General Taj Mahamed Khan and sixteen other rebels have been captured by the Tirin people and are being sent into Kandalur. There is much excitement in the city consequent on the reports brought by merchants of Ayub's having reached Farral. A regiment, lately arrived, has marched to Girishk. The Amir's troops appear to be in the camp at Kalah-i-Gaz, a small district just above Girishk. It is said that the following Sirdars are with Avub Khan's force :- Hafizoolla Khan, Abdulla Khan, Abdulla Khan, Naisiri, Sartip, Noor Mahomed Khan, Kandahari, Kazi Abdul Salam, and Hussien Ali Khan, former Sepeh Salar of Afghanistan. Bombay, July 13.-This morning in the Police Court the Solicitor for the Times of India said that Mr Thomas withdrew the case. The Solicitor for the defence asked

the Magistrate to allow him to explain, on the part of the defendants, their action in the matter. The Magistrate said this was not necessary, as every one knew the editor of the Times of India acted bond fide and for the public good. The parties then left This was a case mentioned before in our Indian telegrams in which Mr Campbell

Thomas, engaged in promoting and forming a Joint Stock Company called the Temple Block Wynaad Gold Mining Company, applied at the Police Court for a summons for libel against the Editor and Manager of the Times of India. - En. C. M. Allahabad, July 11.—A tolegram, dated

Quetta, the 10th says :- " One regiment of infantry with 200 Khasadars arrived at Khandahar from Ghuzn ; on the 2nd of July. General Ghulam Haidar, who had been to Girishk arranging matters between the Governor and Kaz Saoduddin, has returned to Kandahar, but is expected to go back to Helmund soon. His preparation for the forward movement is completed. From Herat there is no definite intelligence of Ayub's movements. Two regiments of infantry and one of cavalry are reported to have arrived in Farrah from Horat. If it he true that Ayub left Herat on the 25th of June, he should now have reached Far-

rah or perhaps the Khashrud.

Quotations. Honokong, August 1. PIUM-Now Patum, cash, ... \$040 cash.... — New Benarcs, cash ... -Now Malwa, credit,... 720 Allowance, Taels..... 32 Old Malwa, credit.... 760

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Shipping Intelligence. The following is corrected from the latest London and Colonial Papers, &c. :-VESSELS TO ARRIVE.

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THE CHINA REVIEW.

THE widely-expressed regret at the dis-continuance of Notes & Queries on China and Japan, has induced the publishers of this journal to issue a publication similar in object and style, but slightly modified in certain details.

THE CHINA REVIEW, or Notes and Queries on the Far East, is issued at intervals of two months, each number containing about 60 octavo pages, occasionally illustrated with lithographs, photographs, woodcuts, &c., should the papers published demand, and the circulation justify, such

extra matter. The subscription is fixed at \$6.50 postage paid, per annum, payable by non-residents in Hongkong half-yearly in advance.

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and selected upon the Arts and Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, Mythology, Manners and Cus-toms, Natural History, Religion, &c., &c., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, the Eastern Archipelego and the "Far East" generally. A more detailed list of subjects upon which contributions are especially invited is incorporated with each number. Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, French, German, Spanish, Italian or Por- General Post Office, Hongkong Club, tuguese, are admissible. Endeavours are made to prezent a resume in each number of the contents of the most recent --works bearing on Chinese matters. Great attention is also paid to the Roview

department. Notes and Replies are classified together as "Notes" (head references being given, when furnished, to previous Notes or Queries), as are also those queries which though asking for information, furnish new or unpublished details concerning the matter in hand. It is desirable to make the Queries proper as brief and as much to the point as possible.

The China Review for July and August, 1875, is at hand. It says that forty-two assays were sent in to compete for the best paper on the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. All our learned societies should subscribe to this scholarly Temperance Hall, specially adapted for and enterprising Review. It is a sixty paged, bi-monthly, repertory of what scholars are ascertaining about China. The Sailors' Home, West Point. locture on Chinese Poetry in this volume is alone worth the price of the Review. Addrees China Review, Hongkong. - Northern Christian Advocate (U.S.)

Trabner's Oriental Record contains the following notice of the China Review ;- "This is the title of a publication, the first number of which has lately reached us from Hongkong, where it has been set on foot as in some respects a continuation of Notes and Queries on China and Japan, the extinction of which useful serial a year or two ago has been much regretted in Europe as well as in China. The present publication, judging by the number new before us, is intended to occupy a resition, as regards China and the veighbouring countries, comewhat similar to that which has been filled in India by the Calcutta Review. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years u; on the investigation of Chinese literature, antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable; and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked for from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body, among whom a high dagree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are reverally represented in the first number of the Review by papers highly creditable to their respective authors. In a pater on Dr. Legge's She King, by the Rev. E. J. Eitel, to which the place of bonour is deservedly given, an excellent supportry is presented of the chronological problems and arguments involved in connexion with this important work. Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshness of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctuality and detail, we are glad to notice tha "Notes" and "Queries" are destined to find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this opening for contribution on Chinese subjects may evoke a simila. degree of literary zeal to that which wa displayed during the lifetime of its predepessor in the field, and that the China Review may receive the support necessary to insur its continuance. The publication is intend ed to appear every two months, and wil form a substantial octavo magazine.

THE OHINESE MAIL.

paper is now issued every The subscription is fixed at Four Dollars per annum delivered in Hongkong, or Seven Dollars Fifty Cents including postage to Coast ports. It is the first Chinese Newspaper over

issued under purely native direction. The chief support of the paper is of course derived from the native community, amongst whom also are to be found the guarantors and securities necessary to place it on a business and legal footing. The projectors, basing their estimates

upon the most reliable information from the various Ports in China and Japan,from Australia, California, Singapore, Penang, Saigon, and other places frequented by the Chinese, - consider themselves justified in guaranteeing an ultimate circulation of between 3,000 and 4,000 copies. The advantages offered to advertisers are therefore unusually great, and the foreign community generally will find It to their interest to avail themselves of

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2. This Regulation prohibits the sending of Patterns of dutiable articles, unless the quantity sent be so small as to make the sample of no value.

3. The limits of weight allowed are as Books and Papers-to British Offic a

5 lbs.; to the Continent, &c., 4 lbs. Patterns-to British Offices, 5 lbs. if without intrinsic value; to the Continent, drc., 8 oz.

Indemnity for the Loss of a Registered Article.

for the safe delivery of Registered corresextent of \$10, in certain cases, provided :-1. That the sender duly observed all the

conditions of Registration require. 2. That the letter was securely enclosed in a reasonably strong envelope. 3. That application was made to the Postmaster General of Hongkong

mediately the loss was discovered, envelope being invariably forwarded with such application unless it also is lost. 4. That the Postmaster General is satisfied that the loss occurred whilst the correspondence was in the custody of the British Postal administration in China, that it was not caused by any fault on the part of the sender, by destruction by fire, or shipwreck,

person not in the employment of the Hongkong Post Office. damage to fragile articles such as portrafts, watches, handsomely bound books, &c., broken or deteriorated condition.

Money Order Regulations.

1 - Money Orders are exchanged with the United Kingdom, New South Wales, Queensland, South Australia and Port Darwin, the Straits Settlements, Western Australia, and (except at Shanghai) with the Japanese Empire. Hongkong also issues orders on Shanghai, and vice versa.

2.—Small sums may be remitted between the other Ports by means of Postage Stamps, subject to a charge of one per cent. for cashing them.

3.—Many Money Orders are supplied to residents at the smaller Ports in this way. An application for an order* is filled up. and is enclosed with a stamped, directed, and unsealed envelope to the Postmaster at the nesrest issuing office. The application must be accompanied with the full amount (including commission) in cheque, postage stamps, or other equivalent of oash, and a little margin should be left for variations of exchange. The Postmaster issues the order, sends it on in the envelope, and returns the change, if any, by first opportunity, with a receipt for the letter, if it were to be registered, as it always should be. Care should be taken to send these applications in time, as the Money Order Offices close some hours before the depar-

4.-No order must exceed £10, or \$50, or include any fraction of a penny, nor will more than two such orders be issued to the same person, in favour of the same payee, by the same mail. Orders will be drawn at the current rate of the day and paid at | Ichang the rate of the day when the advice arrived.

The commission is as follows :-

Orders on the United Kingdom. Up to £2..... 18 cents. Local and Intercolonial Orders.

Up to \$25 or £5 25 cents. , \$50 or £10 50 5 .- Lasts of Money Orger Offices in the United Kingdom may be consulted at Hongkong and Shanghai,

6. - Names must be given in full (except when there is more than one Christian name) but the name of the Payee need not be given if the order be crossed (as cheques are crossed). It can then be paid only through a Bank, and may afterwards be specially crossed to any Bank.

7.-No order can be paid till the Payee to the same places in the same way. En- has signed it in the proper place. An Order Office for instructions.

8 -If the order be not presented within six months an additional commission will be charged; if not within twelve months. the money will be forfsited. When the order is once paid no further claim can be entertained. 9.—No order can be paid until the advice

Made out on a printed form which is supplied dollar rate for drawing on the United King-

dom is in force at Shanghai.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported fo-day.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works,

2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Ivon Works.

3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office.

4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co,'s Office.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Barbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloong shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

5. From P. and Q. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Tard. 7. From Naval Yard to the Pier. 8. From Pier to East Point.

Remarks. Destination. Flag and Consignees or Agents. Captain. Vessel's Name. Steamers. O-MOLLO Chas. Townsend Hook 8 c Bradley Brit. K'loon Dock ... Ackermann ... Ger. Co-morrow shanghai Hothow, or Bangkok 27 Yuen Fat Hong Danube 2 h Clanchy Po-day. shanghal Su Stemmen & Co. Co-morrow 1 Remedios & Co. Ing Piging B.K. & W'pos Dock Co. Fame Brit. str. 31 Adamson, Bell & Co. Holhow, do. Greyhound 5 1 Scott Brit. 226 July K'loon Dock 18 Douglas Lapraik & Co. Hailoong Hunter Brit. K'loon Dook Shanghai 21 Capt. Conner Heron Bunje Brit. 5th inst Triesto, &c. 27 Melchers of Co. 1440 July . 5 b Sturli Aust. atr. 3'pore, Calcutta, &c. 1 David Sassoon, Sons & Co. Japan 5 1 Gardner Brit. str. 1 U. M. B. N. Co. str. 688 Aug. 30 Gibb. Livingston & Co. It is necessary that the following rules | Killarney 5 b O'Neili Brit. Co-day Coast Ports 28 Douglas Lapraik & Co. luly Kwangtung 5 b Young Brit. Li Tai...... 4 k Li Ton Tao ... Annam.str. Co-day. 22 Eduard Schellhass & Co. 30 Siemssen & Co. Norden 3 c Rasmussen Dan. 29 Geo. R. Stevens & Co. Penedo 4 c Kenderdine ... Brit. str. 24 China Traders' Insurance Co. 7 Captaiu Yokohama via Kob 6th, daylight 1 Mitau Bishi M. S. S. Co. Takasago Maru 4 c Young Japan. atr. 17 U. M. S. N. Co. 315 July Tung Ting4 c Dunn Chi Co-day 602 July 24 Borneo Co., Limited Newchwang Wycliffe 3 c Berner Brit. Sailing Vessels 988 July 18 Douglas Lapraik & Co. Valparaiso Abbie Carver...... 8 c Carver..... Amer. bqe. Foochow 692 July 24 diemssen & Co. 7 c Bedwell Brit, bge. New York 1395 July 8 Russell & Co. 7 c Anderson Amer. sh. Havreand Hamburg 529 June 14 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Astoria 3 k Wesenberg Ger. bqe an Francisco C. F. Sargent 7 c Atherton Amer. sh. 1704 June 11 Russell & Co. Clara 1 k Cutler Brit. New York Daniel Barnes 8 c Stover Amer. 635 Fabius......Siam. 9!Eduard Schellhass & Co. Flensborg 4 k Lautrup Dan. 18 Siemssen & Co. Flora 3 k Klock 23 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Florence Nightingale 7 c Mointyre Brit. The Post Office is not legally responsible Fortune 2 e Soderstrom ... Siam. Philippines Freeman 7 c Howes...... Amer. bqe. pondence, but it is prepared to make good Friederich 3 k Thuren Ger. an Francisco the contents of such correspondence lost Highlander 2 k Clough Amer. Newchwang K'loon Dock Bangkok Hotspur Jack Brit. India 2 c Regener Ger. Invincible 7 c Skewes Tientsin July 18 siemssen & Co. San Francisco 6 Hing Kee & Co. 4 c Bansen Brit. bqe June Havre and Hamburg Java Packet Portland (Oregon) Joachim Christian 612 July 25 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. John C. Munro...... 4 c Summers Brit. New York Jonathan Chase 7 c Castigan Amer. bqe June 632 July 30 Melchers & Co. 4 c Grassam Brit. boe. London Laurel the 2 c Prebn Brit. New York June 14 Russell & Co. ... 6 k Snow Amer. bqe. Chefoo and Tientain Mabel ...4 k Hundewa dt ... Ger. Philippines. Marie 4 Melchers & Co. l'ientsin 24 Sjemssen & Co. North American 8 c Creelman Amer. San Francisco P. G. Carvill 8 E McFee Paul Jones 8 c Gerrish Amer. sh Race Horse 3 k Stehmeyer Slam, bqe. New York Signal 7 c Whitney Amer. bqu. nor by the disho enty or negligence of any Channel for orders June 2b Messageries Maritimes Sir John Laurence ... 7 c Best Brit. sh. 5. No compensation can be paid for mere. Sparten 8 c Vincent Amer. sor. Ta Hongkong 2 c Butterman Siam. sh. Kelung l'artar...... 8 c Kaemena which reach their destination, although in Therese 7 c Sartmann Dan. bqe. ib deen Dock WHAMPOA Tientein 245 July 22 Remedios & Co. Stewart Brit. 3m.so. 819 July 18 Siemmen & Co. Tientsin Citadel Habekost Bri. bgtine. 296 July 22 Adamson, Bell & Co. Cientain Lucy Smith Brit. bqe. Prince Arthur CANTON

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